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Washington Spearmint & Peppermint County Estimates

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Dear Data User:

The Washington Agricultural Statistics Service is releasing the revised 2001, revised 2002, and preliminary 2003 mint county estimates for Washington. A variety of information is utilized to set these estimates, including mint grower and handler surveys. We greatly appreciate the time spent by the growers and handlers to complete these surveys each year.

Sincerely,

Ray Garibay
State Director

Mint: Acreage, Yield, & Production, By Counties, Washington, 2001-2003 1/

Crop and County	2001			2002			2003		
	Harv- ested	Yield Per Harv.	Production	Harv- ested	Yield Per Harv.	Production	Harv- ested	Yield Per Harv.	Production
SCOTCH SPEARMINT	Acres	Pounds		Acres	Pounds		Acres	Pounds	
Grant	400	120	48,000	500	146	73,000	700	141	99,000
Yakima	1,700	137	233,000	1,300	141	183,000	1,600	107	171,000
Other Counties 2/	1,100	132	145,000	1,200	149	179,000	1,400	138	193,000
TOTAL	3,200	133	426,000	3,000	145	435,000	3,700	125	463,000
NATIVE SPEARMINT									
Grant	600	115	69,000	500	114	57,000	400	143	57,000
Yakima	6,000	145	870,000	5,500	147	811,000	4,300	160	689,000
Other Counties 2/	800	149	119,000	900	158	142,000	800	168	134,000
TOTAL	7,400	143	1,058,000	6,900	146	1,010,000	5,500	160	880,000
ALL SPEARMINT									
Grant	1,000	117	117,000	1,000	130	130,000	1,100	142	156,000
Yakima	7,700	143	1,103,000	6,800	146	994,000	5,900	146	860,000
Other Counties 2/	1,900	139	264,000	2,100	153	321,000	2,200	149	327,000
TOTAL	10,600	140	1,484,000	9,900	146	1,445,000	9,200	146	1,343,000
ALL PEPPERMINT									
Adams	3,600	95	342,000	3,700	99	366,000	3,300	88	290,000
Grant	11,600	94	1,096,000	14,400	101	1,455,000	14,000	108	1,505,000
Yakima	5,400	94	505,000	2,700	104	280,000	2,900	108	314,000
Other 3/	2,900	92	266,000	4,200	137	574,000	4,300	97	415,000
TOTAL	23,500	94	2,209,000	25,000	107	2,675,000	24,500	103	2,524,000
STATE TOTAL	34,100	108	3,693,000	34,900	118	4,120,000	33,700	115	3,867,000

1/ Revised numbers for 2001-2002 and preliminary estimates for 2003.

2/ "Other Counties" category includes Adams, Benton, and Franklin Counties.

3/ "Other Counties" category includes Benton, Franklin, Kittitas, and Lincoln Counties.